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In re U.S. Patent No. 6,858,167 ) Serial No. 10/018,462  
Inventor(s): André MATTHAEI *et al.* ) Filed: April 25, 2001  
Issue Date: February 22, 2005 ) Attorney Docket No. 000137.00019

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR PRODUCING GRANULATES FROM INTERMEDIATE PRODUCTS OF THERMO-PLASTIC POLYESTERS AND COPOLYESTERS

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Respectfully submitted,

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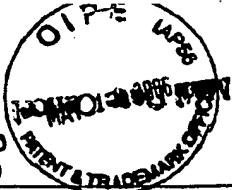
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